

Fig. 16 is a schematic view showing the mutual communication between a reader and the wristband of the invention.--

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A schematic view of the assemblage of an RFID circuit in the bi-laminae wristband is shown in Fig. 14 of the drawings wherein an upper lamina 30 of sheet plastic material is drawn from a dispensing roll 120 between circuit-imprinting means 122 and a back-up roll 124. The circuit-imprinting means 122 may be composed of a plurality of different imprinting devices which result in the formation of a complete circuit. The RFID circuit (not shown) is printed on the underside 123 of the upper lamina 30 and the upper lamina 30 is fed to a laminating station 126 where it is adhesively or otherwise fastened to the lower lamina 32 drawn from a dispensing roll 130. A back-up roll 132 supports the assemblage during the final fabrication of the wristband 10.

A tri-laminae assembly apparatus is shown schematically in Fig. 15 of the drawings as including a dispensing roll 140 for plastic sheet material for an intermediate lamina 32 which is entrained upon a guide roll 142. An imprinting means 144 imprints the RFID circuitry on the upper surface 146 of the intermediate lamina 32 which is supported during the imprinting process by a back-up roller 138.

If desired, downstream from the imprinting apparatus 144, a supplemental apparatus can be located under the lamina 32 to provide supplemental circuitry to that deposited by the imprinting apparatus 144.